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The purpose of this newsletter is to keep the Concordia community up-to-date on new developments in the Libraries. Your questions or comments are most welcome and should be addressed to: Library Letter, Orientation Office, Norris Library, 429-5.

IMPORTANT-PLEASE COMPLETE THE QUESTIONNAIRE ON THE LAST PAGE

We have included in this, our last issue of the academic year, a questionnaire on the On-Line Computerized Information Service offered by the Concordia Libraries. Please take a few minutes to fill it out, whether or not you have used this service in the past. The information you provide will be tremendously helpful to us in determining future direction, and in making the service as widely-known and as useful as possible to the Concordia community.

CRL HIGHLIGHTS

MICROFORM COLLECTIONS OF EARLY PRINTED MATERIALS

Through Concordia's membership in the Center for Research Libraries, the Concordia community now has access to an extensive microfilm collection of early printed literature. Major general collections (those devoted to specific areas such as drama, literature, etc. will be described in a later announcement) include:

- Early American Imprints 1639-1800. About 42,000 titles; includes pamphlets and broadsides. Listed in Charles Evan's American Bibliography (Ref Z 1215 E92 NOR/VAN), Roger Berstol's Supplement to Evan's... (Ref Z 1215 E 92334 NOR/VAN) and Shipton's National Index...short-title Evan's (Ref Z 1215 S495 NOR).
- American Periodicals, 1741-1910. Newspapers not included. A continuing project.
- American Culture Series, 1493-1875. 5,200 works in the humanities, sciences and social sciences. Listed in David Weiner's Bibliography of American Culture 1493-1875 (Ref Z 1215 A5 NOR)
- British Periodicals, General and Literary, ca. 1660-1900. Includes politics, economics, philosophy, literature and the social sciences.
- French, German, Italian, Dutch and Flemish, and Spanish, Portugese and Latin American Books Before 1601. Continuing projects; mainly based on British Museum collections. The Vanier Library has specific guides to most of the collections, e.g. Short title catalogue of books printed in France and French books printed in other countries from 1470-1600 in the British Museum. (Ref Z 2162 B86 1966 VAN)
- French Books, 1601-1700. Based on the Short title catalog of French books 1601-1700... (Ref Z 2162 B87 NOR/VAN) A continuing project.

To request an item from any of these collections, simply fill in an interlibrary loan request form, available at any reference desk. For further information, call the subject librarian responsible for your area, or Interlibrary Loans (879-4369).

NEW FACILITIES

Users of microforms should be pleased to learn that the Norris Library's Government Publications and Microforms Unit has acquired two self-service copiers which will produce copies of microfilm and microfiche, respectively. The machines accept nickels, dimes, or quarters, and will supply change. For more information, phone the Unit at 879-4275.

EVENTS

NEW LITTLE MAGAZINE ON DISPLAY

Montreal's newest literary magazine, Athanor, is currently on display at the Vanier Library. Kathleen C. Moore, Montreal poet and student in Concordia's Liberal Arts College, is the editor of this interesting publication which specializes in poetry and interviews. For more information, contact Marvin Orbach at 482-0320, ext. 488.

REMINDERS

FROM THE PSYCHOLOGY LIBRARIAN...

The Journal of Mathematical Psychology (entire run) has been transferred from the Norris to the Vanier Library. We expect that the new location will prove more convenient to those students taking the course in Mathematical Psychology offered on the Loyola Campus. For more information, contact Helena Gameiro at 482-0320, ext. 411.

FROM THE ITALIAN LIBRARIAN...

Nella Biblioteca Vanier abbiamo molti libri italiani utili agli studenti per i loro studi e le loro ricerche. Per ulteriori informazioni rivolgersi a: Marvin Orbach - 482-0320, ext. 488.

FROM THE ECONOMICS LIBRARIAN...

We would like to remind our users that the Norris Library receives, in micro-format, the unpublished papers listed in Economics Working Papers Bibliography. The Bibliography, available in the Norris Library Reference Area (Ref Z 7164 E2E24) is issued quarterly with an annual cumulation. For more information, contact Charlotte MacLaurin at 879-4498.

SUMMER LIBRARY HOURS

At the time we go to press, the Library's summer schedule has not yet been determined. As always, the new schedule will be posted in all libraries as soon as it becomes available. We would also like to remind our users that they can phone 879-5891 day or night to receive information on hours of opening and service.

LIBRARY CONSULTANT ARRIVES TO DISCUSS NEW BUILDING

Margaret Beckman, a distinguished library consultant and Chief Librarian of the University of Guelph, visited Concordia on March 13 and 14 to advise on the writing of the Library Building Programme for the downtown campus. Mrs. Beckman met with Professor Graham Martin, Vice-Rector, Administration and Finance; the Physical Resources Evaluation Team (PRET); the Senate Library Committee; and the Library Staff Building Committee.

During the course of her visit, Mrs. Beckman provided many useful insights into the purpose and content of a building programme. The University's Library Building Programme will eventually form the basis of the architect's design of a new building. We fully expect that this long-anticipated addition to the Sir George Williams Campus will prove to be both functional as well as aesthetically pleasing.

ACQUISITIONS

CINEMA

Shoot-em-ups: the complete reference guide to westerns of the sound era, by Les Adams and Buck Rainey. This reference work provides information on approximately 3400 American-made western films produced since 1928. The information given on each film includes: the production company, the releasing company, the running time, the release date, the cast, the directors, the story authors, the screenplay authors, and the producers. Many photos are included. Call number: PN 1995.9 W4A3 VAN/REF.

COMMERCE

See ECONOMICS (below)

COMMUNICATION STUDIES

The Vanier Library has recently received the 1979 Nielsen Report on Television. The publication includes a wealth of information on the use of television in the U.S. (i.e. TV usage and how it is affected by family size and the presence of children). If you would like to consult this publication, call Helena Gameiro at 482-0320, ext. 411.

ECONOMICS

Canada. Department of Regional Economic Expansion. Economic development prospects... A recently published (Dec. 1979) series of reports on economic development prospects in the provinces, territories, and regions of Canada. Located in the Government Publications and Microforms Room, Norris Library. For more information, phone 879-4275.

FRENCH LANGUAGE

Bibliographie des chroniques de langage, publiées dans la presse au Canada (7 quotidiens et 1 hebdomadaire). Vol. I: 1950-70, Vol. II: 1879-1949. PC 3641 Q4B53 NOR REF.

FRENCH LITERATURE

Histoire littéraire de la France, par un collectif sous la direction de Pierre Abraham et Rolande Desné. 10 vol: Cette ensemble traite de la littérature comme d'une partie de toute l'histoire de la nation française. Contient des illustrations certains en couleur, et une bibliographie à la fin de chaque volume. (PQ 101 H512 NOR REF)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Quebec Independence: the background to a national crisis. This is a multi-media kit, produced in 1978, which can be found in the Non-Print Area of the Vanier Library.

Atlas électoral du Québec 1970-1973-1976: A six-volume work published by the Quebec government's Commission permanente de la réforme des districts électoraux. (1979) This monumental reference tool covers the last three Québec provincial elections, and includes detailed data on the results, candidates and individual electoral counties, as well as an analysis from an ecological perspective. A bibliography on Quebec elections is also contained in the set. Norris Library, Government Publications and Microforms Room.

PSYCHOLOGY

Discovering who you are: theories of personality: This multi-media kit, produced by the Center for Humanities, describes personality theories of Sigmund Freud, Alfred Adler, Erik Erikson, and Carl Rogers. It can be found in the Non-Print Area of the Norris Library. For more information phone 879-8182.

THEATRE ARTS

The Non-Print Area of the Vanier Library has recently received the following audiocassettes: Commedia Dell'Arte, Fortune and John Herbert's Eyes, Pain and Laughter in the Theatre of the Absurd, Participatory Theatre, Shakespeare in Canada, Shakespeare in the Classroom, Theatre and the Visual Arts, Theatre of Space.

WOMEN'S STUDIES

Wife battering in Canada: the vicious circle - a publication of the Advisory Council on the Status of Women (1980). This report shows wife battering to be a multi-dimensional problem involving the areas of law, education, medicine, social services, and the economy. Located in the Government Publications and Microforms Room, Norris Library.

FOOTNOTES

NORRIS LIBRARY LOCKERS FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS

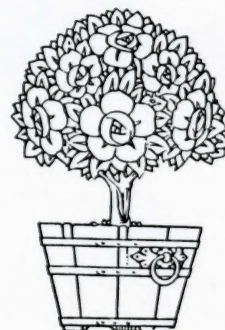
The locks have been fixed on the library lockers! Beginning May 1, 1980 keys will be available for lockers in N-508 and N-513 for graduate students.

Locker keys will be available upon request at the Norris Circulation Desk (N-620), and will be distributed on a first come, first served basis.

In accordance with university policy for locker use, an annual \$5.00 deposit will be required and \$3.00 will be refunded if the key is returned to Norris Library Circulation Department prior to May 1, 1981.

**BEST WISHES
FOR AN
ENJOYABLE
SUMMER**

From Your Library Staff



CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES

ON-LINE COMPUTERIZED INFORMATION SERVICE

QUESTIONNAIRE

B. USE THIS SIDE OF QUESTIONNAIRE IF YOU HAVE NOT USED THIS SERVICE PREVIOUSLY

1. University status (check one):

- ☐ Faculty member. Department _____
- ☐ Graduate student. Department _____
- ☐ Undergraduate student. Department _____
- ☐ Other: _____

2. If you were aware of the Computerized Reference Service, how did you learn about it?

- ☐ The Library Letter
- ☐ The Owner's Manual
- ☐ The Faculty Information Sheet
- ☐ From the Subject Librarian for my area.
- ☐ From my colleagues.
- ☐ Reference Desk.
- ☐ Other: _____

3. Please indicate your reasons for not having used the Computerized Reference Service:

- ☐ Was not aware that it existed.
- ☐ Do not feel sufficiently informed about the nature of the service.
- ☐ Do not need it.
- ☐ Find it too expensive.
- ☐ Other (please state): _____

4. Comments:

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- ☐ Other: _____

3. What were your reasons for using the service? (check one or more)

- ☐ Thesis
- ☐ Dissertation
- ☐ Grant research
- ☐ Current awareness
- ☐ Course work
- ☐ Other _____

4. If you did not use the service since the free introductory period please indicate why:

- ☐ Not needed
- ☐ Too expensive
- ☐ Cost structure too unpredictable
- ☐ Other reasons

5. Do you anticipate using the present service:

- ☐ Less than before
- ☐ More than before
- ☐ Same as in the past

6. Your comments on this service:

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